

Table 14 B. Community Services by Economic Characteristics: Households with Children Under 18 with Children in Public School, Children in Magnet School, Children in Private School, and Children Home Schooled: 1998
(Numbers in thousands)

Characteristics	Total Households	Children in public school	Children in magnet school	Children in private school	Children home schooled
		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Households with children					
Total	38,312	68.5	5.7	9.9	1.8
Household income quintile					
Lowest quintile	5,121	69.8	5.6	4.7	1.6
2nd quintile	6,398	72.3	5.8	5.2	2.0
3rd quintile	7,915	67.1	6.0	7.7	2.3
4th quintile	9,111	67.5	6.0	12.4	1.6
Highest quintile	9,767	67.3	5.3	15.2	1.5
Household poverty					
Income below poverty	5,397	72.9	5.7	5.3	1.7
Income above poverty	32,914	67.8	5.7	10.7	1.8
Education of householder					
Not high school graduate	5,604	78.1	4.2	3.2	1.6
High school graduate	11,850	72.3	5.4	7.0	1.4
Some college	11,845	67.3	6.8	10.7	2.1
Bachelors or higher	9,012	59.1	5.7	16.9	2.1
Occupation of householder					
Executive	4,700	65.0	6.5	15.2	1.6
Professional	4,695	61.3	6.2	15.1	2.0
Technical	1,091	61.7	5.5	14.0	2.5
Sales	3,363	63.7	6.3	12.0	1.6
Administrative support	4,254	66.8	8.8	9.8	1.1
Service	4,000	71.0	5.7	7.1	1.1
Farm	833	75.7	3.0	8.1	1.9
Craft	4,328	72.4	4.3	7.6	2.1
Labor	5,089	73.2	4.3	5.6	1.2
Region					
Northeast	7,052	66.3	4.3	11.1	0.7
Midwest	9,068	68.4	4.9	10.5	2.4
South	13,446	70.3	5.9	8.7	2.1
West	8,745	67.6	7.5	10.1	1.6
Metropolitan status					
Central City	5,467	59.6	8.5	7.6	1.5
Metropolitan, outside central city	27,369	68.2	5.6	11.1	1.9
Non-metropolitan	5,476	78.9	3.4	6.0	1.7

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